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Re: **Notification of Missing Requirements,  
Transmittal Letter and Executed Declaration documents  
filed January 10, 2005**  
U.S. Patent Appln. S.N.: 10/519,831  
By: **Shigeru KOHINATA, et al.**  
Your Ref: **FSK020038PCT-US33**  
Our Ref: **P3273-2900-040660**

Dear Ms. Person:

Further to our telephone conversation on June 9, 2005, please find enclosed documents regarding the Notification of Missing Requirements dated May 13, 2005, indicating that the Declaration was not signed or executed. As a proof, we are sending you a copies of the Transmittal Letter, the executed Declaration filed January 10, 2005, and the Notification of Missing Requirements.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact us.

With kind regards,

Very truly yours,

**ARMSTRONG, KRATZ, QUINTOS,  
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Enclosures: Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements dated May 13, 2005,  
Copies of the Transmittal Letter and Executed Declaration, filed January 10, 2005.

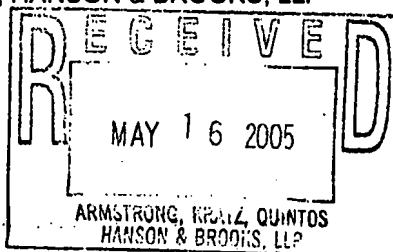


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**NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)**

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

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- Preliminary Amendments filed on 01/10/2005
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 01/10/2005
- Oath or Declaration filed on 01/10/2005
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 01/10/2005
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- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
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